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Applicant : McNichol et al.
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For : HYDRAULIC GRAVITY RAM PUMP
Examiner : Charles Grant Freay
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Rose M. Thiessen, Reg. No. 40,202**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-referenced application on the merits, Applicants respectfully request entry of this Preliminary Amendment.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.